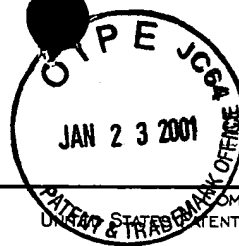




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Applicant: Michael R. Arneson et al. Examiner: Unknown  
Serial No.: 09/620,373 Group Art Unit: 2734  
Filed: July 20, 2000 Docket: 499.088US1  
Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR COMMUNICATING COMPUTER DATA  
FROM ONE POINT TO ANOTHER OVER A COMMUNICATIONS MEDIUM

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